

CHAPTER LXXXVIII.

An Act to amend Section one hundred and fifty of Chapter eight of the General Statutes, as amended by section one of Chapter thirty-seven of the General Laws for one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

March 4, 1871.

SECTION 1. Amendment to section one hundred and fifty (150), Chapter eight (8), General Statutes. Fees of County Treasurer.

2. When act to take effect.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section one hundred and fifty, of chapter eight, of the general statutes as amended by section one, chapter thirty-seven of the general laws for one thousand eight hundred and seventy, be amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 150. The county treasurer shall be allowed at the time of his settlement, all sums paid by him for printing such advertisements as he is required to publish, at the rates prescribed by law, and all the sums paid by him for blank books and stationery necessarily used in his office, and shall receive for his services one-half of one per cent. as fees for receiving and disbursing all moneys on account of sales of school lands, or the payment of interest on school lands, and on all other moneys by him collected or received as such county treasurer, for each year's fees as follows: six cents on each dollar for the first ten thousand dollars, three cents on each dollar for the second ten thousand dollars, and two cents on each dollar on all sums over twenty thousand dollars, and less than sixty thousand dollars, and one cent on each dollar on all sums over sixty thousand dollars; *Provided*, That no compensation shall be allowed to the treasurer on any moneys received from his predecessor in office, or his legal representatives, or on any moneys received from the current school fund of the state apportioned by the superintendent of public instruc-

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tion; *Provided further*, That no treasurer shall receive more than twenty-five hundred dollars for his services in any one year.

When act to take effect.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 4, 1871.

CHAPTER LXXXIX.

February 21, 1871

An Act to amend Section one hundred and thirteen, of Chapter eight, of the General Statutes relating to County Auditors.

SHOWOK 1. Amendment to Section one hundred and thirteen (113), Chapter eight (8), General Statutes. Penalty for neglect of duty.

2. When act to take effect.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

SECTION 1. That section one hundred and thirteen, of chapter eight, of the general statutes, be amended so as to read as follows :

Penalty for neglect of duty.

Section 113. If any county auditor fails to make settlement, or pay over all moneys with which he stands charged at the time and in the manner prescribed by law, or misapplies any money which comes into his possession in the discharge of his official duties, the county commissioners shall commence an action against such auditor and his sureties, in the district court of said county, or other court of competent jurisdiction. And when complaint in such action is made, the said commissioners shall cause a copy thereof to be forthwith furnished to the governor of the state who shall, if the complaint alleges any of the acts of neglect, or offences hereinbefore recited, suspend such auditor temporarily, and cite him to appear and show cause why such suspension should